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CALIFORNIA LEGISLATURE—2007–08 REGULAR SESSION

## ASSEMBLY BILL

**No. 304**

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**Introduced by Assembly Member Huff**

February 9, 2007

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An act to add Section 1520.7 to the Health and Safety Code, relating to community care facilities.

### LEGISLATIVE COUNSEL'S DIGEST

AB 304, as amended, Huff. Community care facilities: disaster and mass casualty plans.

Existing law, the California Community Care Facilities Act, provides for the licensure and regulation of community care facilities, as defined, and provides for criminal sanctions for a violation of those provisions. Existing law requires any person desiring issuance of a license for a community care facility or a special permit for specialized services to file with the State Department of Social Services, an application on a prescribed form, containing specified information.

This bill would require a community care facility that is licensed or has a special permit for specialized services to provide a copy of the *disaster and mass casualty plan required pursuant to a specified regulation to any appropriate local entity or authority responsible for providing emergency services the fire department, law enforcement agencies, and civil defense and other disaster authorities* in the area or community in which the facility is located, upon request of the ~~local entity or authority~~ *fire department, law enforcement agency, or civil defense or other disaster authority*.

~~The California Constitution requires the state to reimburse local agencies and school districts for certain costs mandated by the state. Statutory provisions establish procedures for making that reimbursement.~~

~~This bill would provide that, if the Commission on State Mandates determines that the bill contains costs mandated by the state, reimbursement for those costs shall be made pursuant to these statutory provisions.~~

Vote: majority. Appropriation: no. Fiscal committee: no.  
State-mandated local program: no.

*The people of the State of California do enact as follows:*

1     SECTION 1. Section 1520.7 is added to the Health and Safety  
2     Code, to read:  
3     1520.7. Every community care facility that is licensed or has  
4     a special permit for specialized services pursuant to Section 1525  
5     ~~shall provide a copy of the plan to any appropriate local entity or~~  
6     ~~authority responsible for providing emergency services in the area~~  
7     *shall provide a copy of the disaster and mass casualty plan*  
8     *required pursuant to Section 80023 of Title 22 of the California*  
9     *Code of Regulations to the fire department, law enforcement*  
10    *agencies, and civil defense and other disaster authorities in the*  
11    *area or community in which the facility is located, upon request*  
12    ~~by the local entity or authority fire department, law enforcement~~  
13    ~~agency, or civil defense or other disaster authority.~~ Section 1540  
14    shall not apply to this section.

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